## **ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR August 12, 2018**

**Welcome.** A warm welcome to all as we gather as God's people to worship the Lord. May our worship strengthen your faith and your desire to serve him who loves us with an everlasting love in Christ Jesus. Visitors, we're especially glad to see you! Please fill out a visitor pew card and come again.

Activities this week

Monday: 7:00 pm Consistory
Tuesday: 9:00 am Bible Study
11:00 am Balance for Life Class
Thursday: 9:30 am Badminton

Greeting this week are Linda and Robert Dido. Ushers assisting in the service are Marilyn Lowe and Kathy Jansen.

Sanctuary flowers are placed by Shirley Ruth in memory of her husband, Richard, on his birthday.

There is a Nursery available for toddlers and infants in Room 7 and is staffed by an experienced caregiver.

Join us in Schadewald Hall for refreshments provided by Ellen Richards and Roberta Falatyn. We love all goodies –homemade or store bought. Please sign up for refreshments for fellowship hour. There is a signup sheet posed in Schadewald Hall. DATES ARE AVAILABLE. See Sandy Emrich.

**Thank you** for all the cards and prayers! I'm getting there. – MaryAnn DiPietro.

**Spire articles!** The next Spire will go out in late August. If you have anything you want in the Spire, please get it to Dorothy by August 17.

Watch the "back to school" ads! Operation Christmas Child is approaching. Get items for your shoeboxes now. For more information, see Sandie Gregory.

We Need Coffee. Would appreciate donations of coffee for Sunday refreshments. – Jim Pirro

**Sign up for the Golf Tournament:** Teams are being formed. We can always welcome more golfers and even those who want to come for the dinner afterward at the Hurley Mountain Inn. The date is August 26<sup>th</sup>, 3:00 pm nine hole scramble with awards and dinner to follow. Interested?? **Call** Marilyn Lowe at 845-853-9720 to reserve a space

**Mission of the month:** July missions are Hudson Valley Hospice Foundation and Relay for Life, two very needed organizations no matter where we live. The donations will go directly to local offices. The final tally for the "Bag Summer Hunger" was \$553 which our committee used with incredible accuracy to purchase granola bars (total came to \$553.12). I threw in the twelve cents. – Marilyn L. **Deacon of the month** is Roberta Falatyn. Call Roberta at 845-532-8421 if you need a deacon's assistance.

The Reformed Church is a connectional church. Our classis includes 33 congregations in the Mid-Hudson Valley. We pray for the strength and vision of the pastors and the revitalization of their members. Today we pray for Saugerties Reformed Church, Saugerties, New York.